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WAS NO OPPOSITION.

Hon. Oliver Wendell Holmes' Appointment Confirmed By the Senate.

THE ARMY CANTEEN QUESTION.

Paymaster General Bates Says Claim of War Department that Restoration of Canteen Would Benefit Army Seems Fully Borne Out by Records.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The senate was in session yesterday one hour and five minutes, most of which time was spent behind closed doors. After the reception of a number of bills and petitions and the adoption of a concurrent resolution calling on the president for the papers in the Pius fund case, recently arbitrated before The Hague tribunal, Mr. Beveridge had read the resolutions adopted by the delegates to the Oklahoma non-partisan convention favoring the admission of Oklahoma and Indian territory as one state and opposing the house omnibus statehood bill. The senate then went into executive session, and at 1:05 adjourned until Monday.

Holmes' Appointment Confirmed.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Hon. Oliver Wendell Holmes was yesterday confirmed by the senate to succeed the late Justice Gray as a member of the bench of the United States supreme court. There was no opposition and the nomination was not discussed. Immediately after the senate went into executive session Senator Hoar as chairman of the committee on the judiciary, made a favorable report upon the nomination. The senate took the case up forthwith accomplishing the act of confirmation as quickly as it was possible to do so.

Boston, Dec. 5.—Associate Justice Holmes left for Washington today, ready to take up his work on the supreme bench next week. Judge Holmes has been arranging his affairs so that he could go to Washington immediately upon receiving news of his confirmation. His resignation from the Massachusetts supreme bench probably will follow the precedent laid down by the late Judge Gray, his predecessor on the federal bench, and a former chief justice of the supreme bench of this state who allowed his acceptance of the appointment as judge of the United States supreme court to serve as his resignation of the position of state justice.

Canteen Communication.

Washington, Dec. 5.—General Bates paymaster general of the army, has sent a communication to Adjutant General Corbin in regard to the army canteen question, in which he says:

"The claim of the war department in recommending the restoration of the canteen to the army that during the operations of the canteen law the discipline of the army was superior, desertions much less, and that there were fewer fines and forfeitures by court martials on account of breaches of military discipline resulting from the use of intoxicants by men in the service, appears to be fully borne out by the records of the paymaster general's office.

"These records show that the paymasters of the army collected from 75,000 enlisted men (regulars) during the last year in which the canteen was in force, on account of the soldiers' dues fines and forfeitures, $462,698, while during the fiscal year 1902, since the abolishment of the canteen, there was collected by paymasters from about 70,000 enlisted men (regulars) on the same account $632,125.

"The fact, therefore, appears indisputable by the figures cited that the fine and forfeitures imposed upon and collected from the enlisted men of the army were vastly increased during the year subsequent to the abolishment of the canteen, which increase cannot be well attributed to any other cause than the effects of an uncontrolled liquor traffic in connection with military posts, which traffic appears to seriously affect the discipline and morals of the army."

National Capital Notes.

Major Estes G. Rathbone, who was convicted of irregularities during his incumbancy as director of posts of Cuba and who was pardoned after the American occupation ended, was at the capital yesterday for the purpose of pressing his petition, filed with the senate last session, for an investigation of the methods used in his conviction by the Cuban courts.

Senator Hoar yesterday presented to the senate an amendment to the immigration bill, providing that the wives and children of aliens who have declared their intentions of becoming citizens shal be admitted without tax or fee. In case of contagious disease among them they are to be held, and in case the disorder should prove permanent they are to be deported.

GRIND OF THE COURTS.

Grand Jury Will Complete Its Work by This Evening.

Uniontown, Dec. 5.—The Grand Jury will complete its labors this evening and the civil list for this week will also likely be concluded. The regular term of criminal court will begin on Monday morning.

The conspiracy and other cases against J. Perry Donaldson of Uniontown, brought by J. G. Strickler, a well known farmer living near Vanderbilt, will not be tried. Donaldson has plead guilty to the conspiracy charge and the others have been settled by payment of the costs. The trial of this case promised to be sensational. Donaldson and Miss Bessie Herring of Uniontown were charged with extorting money from Strickler, who it is claimed had been too friendly with the girl. Donaldson and the girl were arrested two months ago at a Dawson hotel on complaint of a relative of the girl and then it developed that Donaldson had held Strickler up for $100 upon threats to expose him. Strickler then made a charge of blackmail and extortion, but regretted the action since and, it is claimed, agreed to a settlement.

In the case of Mrs. C. C. Wellley against I. Aaron of Connellsville a verdict for the plaintiff of $11 was returned instead of a verdict for the defendant as stated in yesterday's Daily Courier. The suit was over some furniture which had been bought on the installment plan.

Judge Reppert heard the cases yesterday of Annie Bergstrom on behalf of herself and children against the Washington Coal & Coke Company. The case of Hannah Bergstrom against the same company was tried at the same time. The plaintiffs in each case sued to recover $10,000 from the company for the death of their husbands, Charles and Oscar Bergstrom, who were killed in the defendants' mine by a fall of slate.

The case of the Pierce-Crouch Engine Company against the Title & Trust Company of Western Pennsylvania of Connellsville was discontinued upon payment by petitioner of all costs, including costs of mechanics' claim. The court refused to strike mechanics' claim from the records of the court. Charles Davis, alias William Davis, pleaded guilty to embezzlement as an employe. The prosecutor was B. H. McClain. William Davis pleaded guilty of assault with intent to maim and kill; also carrying concealed weapons.

REAL ESTATE DEALS.

Made in Connellsville and Vicinity The Past Few Days.

The following real estate sales have been made in Connellsville and vicinity during the past few days:

James B. Hogg and others to Peter J. Edwards, Lots Nos. 178, 179 and 180 in John T. Hogg's addition to Connellsville, $10,600; Daniel Mitts to Connellsville Schuylkill Improvement Land Company, Lots Nos. 178, 179 and 180 in John T. Hogg's addition to Connellsville, $10,600. Daniel Mitts to Connellsville Water Company, house and lot in Connellsville township, $1,000; George L. Fisher and wife to Daniel Mitts, tract of land in Connellsville township, $900; Frank M. Bower and wife to Andrew Guller, lot in Connellsville, $700; Gabriel Jones to A. J. Staub, tract of land in Springfield township, $2,000; Martin H. King to William H. Waugaman, lot in Upper Tyrone township, $235; George and Harriette Wagner to Joseph DeOre, lot in Dunbar, $200; Phoebe Ann Yothers to William F. Landis, 12½ acres of land in Bullskin township, $1,000.

J. I. Feather and wife to W. S. Kuhn, all the Upper Freeport vein of coal underlying several properties in Dunbar township, aggregating about 140 acres, $4,000; James I. Feather and wife to the Pittsburg, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company, right of way through several properties in Dunbar township, $1,800.

Hard Lines for Workmen.

Twenty-two Italians employed on the Pittsburg, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company's extension from Uniontown to Dunbar were arrested and put in jail at Uniontown Thursday for trespassing. They were changing the grade of the road in North Union township, the Road Supervisors claimed without authority from the township authorities. The railway company will, of course, stand good for their employes, who were working under their instructions and were in no way responsible.

Foundry Burned.

The Greensburg Foundry & Machine Company's shop, near the Ludwick borough line, was burned Tuesday evening.

FLOYD N. FRUM DEAD.

Expired in Quarantine at 6 O'clock This Morning of Smallpox.

WILL BE BURIED THIS EVENING

Before Friends Can Arrive from His Home at Bridgeport, W. Va.—His Death is First Fatal Smallpox Case in 20 Years.

F. N. Frum, who has been suffering with a malignant case of purpura smallpox for the past several days, died this morning at 6.15 o'clock in the special quarantined car below the B. & O. Sedom shops, where he has been since the case developed. Weakened by excessive hemorrhages he sank into a comotose condition and died without regaining consciousness. Dr. J. J. Singer, Jr., who has nursed Frum through his illness, is alone in the car with the body.

Friends of Frum in Bridgeport, W. Va., were notified by wire but before they can arrive here the dead man will be buried. By direction of the B. & O. Railroad Company Dr. T. H. White, local representative of the State Board of Health, this morning purchased a handsome black broad cloth casket. This evening the casket will be delivered at the quarantine line, some yards away from the car. Dr. Singer will place the swathed body in the casket, which will be hermetically sealed and thoroughly disinfected.

Tonight at 6 o'clock the body will be taken to a lot in Hill Grove Cemetery, where a grave has been dug. Rev. W. A. Elliott of the First Presbyterian Church will read the burial service at the graveside. This will be the last incident surrounding the first death from smallpox to take place in Connellsville for twenty years.

Dr. Singer will disinfect his person by bathing in a bi-chloride solution and will dress in fumigated clothes. Then he will leave the car which, with its contents will be destroyed by fire.

Frum was vaccinated three times, but none of them were successful. The last time he made an effort was two years ago, but the vaccine did not take as on both other occasions.

F. N. Frum, who was cut down so untimely by the dread plague, was resident engineer in charge of the construction of the new Baltimore & Ohio yards here since May 20th, 1902. He was 32 years old and came here from his home in Bridgeport, W. Va. His mother and father live there and he has several brothers and sisters. His early life was spent on a farm. In his office near the new yards hangs a picture of a country school where he was teacher. He attended the engineering department of the West Virginia University at Morgantown and graduated with honors in 1896. He is a member of a leading Greek letter fraternity of the University.

Mr. Frum was taken ill on the night of Wednesday, November 26th. He had been in Baltimore several days previous to this. On that night he went to Confluence on the express to look after some work there. He bought some chestnuts to keep him "awake," as he said, on the way up the mountain. That night he suffered from indigestion, and in the morning he had a bad headache. He returned the next day and went to bed in his room here. At first it was thought he was suffering from appendicitis. Monday, December 1st, Dr. T. H. White decided that the patient was suffering from smallpox. That night at midnight he was taken to a special car run off on an isolated siding near Sedom shops and placed under quarantine.

Twenty-two years ago while the late J. Emmet Stillwagon was Burgess of Connellsville, two tramp roustabouts from the "lower river" trade, became ill with smallpox in a boarding house on Water street which stood on the present site of the Baltimore House. There was no Board of Health here then. The men were removed to a rough shanty built on Davidson's island, north of town. An old Irish sailor, who was deeply pitted with marks of the disease, took charge of the men. He got a plentiful supply of whisky and laborer's wages for his time. In a week both men died. The Irishman dug two graves and buried the men. Then he left town. For several years the lonely resting place of the victims was known and shunned by townspeople, but today no trace of the graves can be seen.

FRANKLIN TWP. CONFINES

As Provided in Court Division for School Purposes.

The part of Franklin township annexed to Menallen for school purposes as per order of court confirming report of viewers, begins at a point in the middle of Redstone creek in the line dividing the townships of Menallen and Franklin, and passing through a red oak on the bank of said creek in line of lands of William Walters north to point in line of Asbury Lewis, thence by same and land of William Lewis north, thence by lands of Joseph Lewis, A. C. Brown and J. L. Haggerty, north, thence by lands of Haggerty and Brown north to a point to Redstone creek, including the property owned by L. H. Morris, J. L. Haggerty, Bruce Wheeler, J. Honsaker, Arthur Honsaker, William Walters, J. M. Lewis, J. R. Smith, Mrs. Mary A. Vance, A. C. Brown, Hannah J. Hill, Erwin K. Brown, Alice Smith, R. H. Brown, D. F. Davidson, Charles E. Knight, David Junk, Ewing P. Lane and Mrs. Olive Davidson.

The school tax upon said property is recommended to be paid to Menallen township to help sustain the school house, which is to be in Menallen and they further recommend that all the properties included in the above description be annexed to Menallen.

SMALLPOX AT SCOTTDALE.

George Morford Brought it on a Visit to His Home.

Scottdale, Dec. 5.—A well developed case of smallpox was discovered yesterday in the family of George Morford on Hickory street. Morford's son Floyd had been working in Zug's mill, Pittsburg, and came home a couple of days ago sick. Drs. Hess and Strickler were called in yesterday afternoon and pronounced it a genuine case of smallpox. The house was at once quarantined and a brother of the young man, who works in a Bridge street barber shop, and boarding at home, was given the alternative of leaving town or going home and staying until the quarantine was lifted.

The case has caused some excitement in town but the Board of Health are taking all due precautions and there are no fears that the dread disease will spread.

NEW HAVEN SCHOOL BOARD.

Balance on the School Piano Paid. Long Vacation.

The regular monthly meeting of the New Haven School Board was held Thursday evening in the Seventh street school building. It was decided to have a longer holiday vacation than usual. School will close Friday, December 12th and will resume the Monday after New Years Day. The balance of $200 remaining on the price of the school piano, purchased some months ago, was ordered paid. The teachers' salaries were also ordered paid and a number of small bills were paid by motion. The meeting was a very short one and no other business of importance was taken up.

HELD FOR COURT.

William Glotfelty Accused of Shortchanging a Customer.

Harry Regger, a young man of Vanderbilt, made an information yesterday before Justice of the Peace Frank Miller, charging William Glotfelty of the Chicago Quick Lunch on Pittsburg street, with shortchanging him. Regger alleges that he gave Glotfelty a five dollar bill for 30 cents worth of merchandise and that Glotfelty gave him $1.70 change, claiming that the bill was of the $2 denomination.

Glotfelty claims that a bill with a corner torn off, as described by Regger, was passed over the Hotel Marietta bar by Regger. 'Squire Miller held Glotfelty for court in $200 bail.

Dance and Euchre.

Clair Stillwagon tendered a reception, dance and euchre to about 50 of his friends in Title & Trust Hall Thursday evening. The affair was to have been a masquerade ball, but the costumes failed to arrive and it was changed to the conventional full dress affair. Progressive euchre and dancing were the pastimes of the evening. Pritchard served a light luncheon.

Still Maintains Innocence.

Emanuel Ridenour, who killed his wife at Ruffsdale several years ago, was released from the Penitentiary on Thursday after serving six years and nine months of a ten years and seven months sentence. He still claims the shooting was accidental.

Prominent Minister Dead.

Rev. J. J. McCarrell, D. D., a prominent minister of the Presbyterian Church, died at his home in McKeesport on Wednesday.

AFTER WHARTON COAL

For Investment on Strength of the B. & O.'s Proposed Short Line.

NEW YORK PEOPLE INTERESTED.

Frank Rocks of Connellsville Clears $20,000 in Coal Deal Near Masontown Inside of a Week—Riverview Coal & Coke Co.'s Operations.

The prospect of a railroad through Wharton township by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company has boomed the sale of coal lands. Ex-Sheriff Isaiah Good and Daniel Zimmerman of Somerset have bought up over 12,000 acres in that township as an investment. All of their tract lies near Markleysburg. They paid an average price of $12 an acre, some of it running a little above that figure and some did not bring as much. Good and Zimmerman represent a company of New York capitalists, included in which are Abner McKinley and Senator Hanna. They have also bought some coal in Henry clay township. Part of the tracts were owned by E. D. Fulton and Alfred Innes. A diamond drill is now at work on the farms near Gibson's Glade making a test of the coal.

Coal buying has also been active in the Lower Connellsville region this week. The Riverview Coal & Coke Company have purchased the Isaac N. Schroyer farm of 112 acres including the surface. They paid $1,000 an acre for the coal and $100 an acre for the surface. Francis Rocks of Connellsville, who recently bought the Parshall farm at Lock No. 7 of Dr. G. W. Neff and George Porter, has since sold the same to the Riverview company. He reserved part of the river bottom, and cleared $20,000 on the transaction. He also bought the adjacent farm of Jason Woolsey, surface and coal, consisting of 142 acres, for $1,000 an acre, or $142,000, and the Nancy Cover tract of 60 acres, also for $1,000 per acre.

A new coke plant of 50 ovens is to be built on the Katherine Davis farm in Nicholson township. There are 32 acres of coal in the tract which has been in litigation in the Fayette county courts between the H. C. Frick Coke Company and W. W. Laughead for several years, the suit being won some time ago by the latter. Harry and George Whyel of Uniontown bought the coal for about $30,000 and will develop it.

John and Guy Gilmore and A. Plumer Austin of Uniontown have bought from Mrs. L. T. Niccolls 33 acres of the Jeffries Hague or James Shoaf tract, for a price, it is stated, exceeding $1,200 per acre. The late John A. Niccolls bought this coal some 10 or 12 years ago for about $100 an acre. They will buy a tract of surface from the Shoaf boys in the bottom lands near the Justus Dunn place and erect 30 coke ovens this winter. The plant will be near the Smithfield & Masontown branch of the Baltimore & Ohio road, and will be reached by a siding not over 800 feet long. Some other Uniontown parties will be associated with Messrs. Gilmore and Austin in the company to develop this tract.

Y. M. C. A. COKE BRANCHES.

Project Started to Place Them at Fayette Plants.

C. L. Fay, General Secretary of the Pennsylvania State Young Men's Christian Association, had a conference Tuesday with General Superintendent O. W. Kennedy regarding the feasibility of erecting buildings in all the coke and mining villages of Fayette county for the purpose of introducing the principles of the Y. M. C. A. Bath room, gymnasium, reading room, games and other amusements, are contemplated. Also night school in which any desirable branch will be taught.

F. C. Keighley, Manager of the Oliver & Snyder Steel Company, has been appointed representative in the Uniontown district. Headquarters will be established there about January 1st. The present offices of the Association are in Greensburg. E. M. Gross is Chairman.

Malleable Iron Combine.

Seventeen of the leading malleable iron concerns in the United States have signed an agreement to form one big company with capital of from $16,000,000 to $20,000,000.

CONDITION CRITICAL.

Former Speaker Thomas B. Reed is a Very Sick Man and May Die.

HE NOW HAS KIDNEY TROUBLE.

Better So Far as the Appendicitis Symptoms Are Concerned, but the Uraemic Features Give the Case a Much Graver Aspect.

Washington, Dec. 5.—At 11.30 o'clock last night the condition of ex-Speaker Thomas B Reed, who has been ill here since Tuesday evening, was reported to be critical. A few minutes before that time Dr Gardiner, one of the attending physicians, handed the following bulletin to the press:

"At 10 o'clock Mr. Reed's condition is as follows: Temperature, 110 2-5, pulse, 88; respiration, 34. Mr. Reed suffered from some degree of uraemic coma during the afternoon, but his mind is again clear this evening His appendicitical symptoms are rapidly

THOMAS B. REED.

subsiding, and his appendicitis . . . an important factor in his present condition.

"W. C. GOODNOW, M D.
"F. A GARDINER M. D.
"T. L. MACDONALD, M. D."

Not Disposed to Talk.

Dr Gardiner made two visits to his patient during the evening, leaving the first time at half-past 8 o'clock. Later he and Drs. Goodnow and MacDonald came and remained at the hotel for nearly two hours, some of the time with Mrs Reed and the remainder in consultation over the case. Dr Goodnow, whose name appears to the bulletin, in addition to the other physicians, is a Philadelphian, and was called into the case as "expert consultant." He expected to leave for home again on the midnight train Dr Gardiner was not disposed to talk about the case last night nor to add anything to the bulletin, saying that it contained an exact statement of Mr. Reed's condition. He did say, however, that Mr Reed's condition was critical, but that it was better than at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. In some respects Mr. Reed, he added, was better than Wednesday night, and in some respects he was worse. He was better so far as the appendicitis symptoms were concerned, but the uraemic features gave the case a graver aspect. After issuing the bulletin the doctor said he was going home for the night and would leave his assistant, Dr Bishop, who would remain with Mr. Reed during the night.

At 1:30 this morning Mr. Reed's condition was unchanged and all was was quiet in his rom.

FREIGHT TRAINS MET.

Five Men Seriously Injured, One of Whom May Die.

Cleveland, O., Dec 5.—Two freight trains on the Big Four met in a head-on collision in Linndale, a few miles west of this city last night, and five members of the crews were seriously hurt. The injured: William Gross, brakeman, Linndale, crushed under engine, may die; —— Ferguson, engineer, Cleveland, seriously; C. M. Hoffman, Cleveland, legs crushed, will recover; T. M. Conger, Cleveland, legs crushed, will recover; Louis Burea, scalded about legs by steam, serious. Bothe engines are demolished and a number of cars were telescoped.

MINISTER BUCK DEAD.

United States Representative at Japan Expires Suddenly.

Yokohama, Dec. 5.—United States Minister Buck died yesterday morning while at the imperial duck shoot. The cause of his death is supposed to have been apoplexy. Another report says Mr. Buck's death was due to heart failure. The hunt occurred in the suburbs of Tokio.

Report Incorrect.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 5.—Hon. Sydney Fisher, minister of agriculture, yesterday received a telegram from Lord Strathcona, Canadian high commissioner, in London, stating that the report that the British government would allow the landing of cattle from Portland, provided they did not pass through the infected districts of New England, was incorrect.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town.

Vaccinate.

The great cloak sale at The Fair.

The Courier has an arc light, but the paved alley is slow coming

County Treasurer R C. Hough spent last evening here

The flirty telephone girl rhymes "hello" with "fellow"

The wild geese are flying south and that is said to mean real cold weather coming

Complete line of fine cloaks bought at 60c on the dollar now on sale at The Fair.

Thomas S Rutherford of Greensburg and Fannie Sheplar of Ruffsdale were granted a marriage license at Uniontown this week.

W. D. Gilchrist intends to build a business block on his lot between Hotel Gilchrist and H. Kurtz's store in Confluence. Besides stores it will also have a public hall, something that is badly needed in Confluence

Invitations have been received here announcing the marriage of Miss Laura Estella Johnston of Wilkinsburg, Pa., to Morris Ramsey of Birmingham, Ala. Both of the contracting parties were formerly residents of Mt. Pleasant The marriage will take place at the Schenley Hotel, Pittsburg, on Wednesday evening, December 17th, 1902

Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock President Wallace E. Rowe of Pittsburg opened the steam valve that set in operation the rod mill department of the Pittsburg Steel Company, at Monessen, and a few moments later the first billet was rolled. Mr. Rowe is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs Henry Huston of Pittsburg, but for many years residents of Connellsville.

The reopening of the Everson United Brethren Church will take place on Sunday, December 14th. The speaker for the reopening service at 10 30 will be Dr W. R. Funk of Dayton, Ohio. In the afternoon at 2.30 there will be a platform meeting at which a number of ministers are expected to speak Among those who have promised to be present are Dr Gladden, President of the Pittsburg Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, Rev. W. V Barnhart of Connellsville, Rev. W. H. Spangler of Scottdale, Rev. L. Keister of Mt. Pleasant and Rev. S E Cormany of Wilkinsburg.

A correspondent from Humbert, the coal town up the Baltimore & Ohio, named after George J Humbert of Connellsville and Morgantown, says: "During last week J. Murray Mitchell, President, Wilfred Johnson, General Manager, Russell Peabody and A. Newbold Morris of New York, Directors of the Ursina Coal Mining Company, spent several days visiting and inspecting the property of the company. They were entertained and shown all over the extensive works by I T Huff the energetic and popular Superintendent of the company. They visited the many improvements made here, including the new conveyor, water system, electric light plant and the many new and substantial buildings that have been erected the present year The new opening made by the company recently was most minutely inspected Besides the mining property the new bridges and many other improvements made on the Ursina & North Fork railroad. From what we can learn these gentlemen were highly pleased with all these Humbert will still keep on in its phenomenal growth Superintendent Huff and his popular clerks will move into the new offices here December 1st"

Awarded Medal

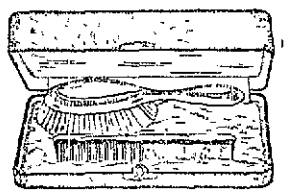
Philadelphia Dec. 5.—Prof H. V Hilprecht, the eminent archaeologist, was last night presented by the University of Pennsylvania with a diploma awarding to him the Lucy Wharton Drexel medal for his excavations at Nippur and his publications on the subject. The fund for the medals was established last month by Lucy Wharton Drexel, who donated to the university the sum of $2,000, the income of which is to be expended for medals to be awarded once a year, for the best archaeological excavation or for the best publication based on archaeological excavations by an English-speaking scholar named by those already possessing it.

Bridge Destroyed by Fire.

Bedford, Pa., Dec. 5.—The long wooden bridge that crosses the Juniata river at the narrows on the Bedford & Chambersburg turnpike about a mile from here, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning The fire is believed to have been the work of some persons who have been angered at the protracted litigation over the condemnation of the turnpike by the court and have taken the law into their own hands. A notice was posted for the keeper of the toll gate, telling him to move out as his house would be blown up soon. There is no clue to the incendiaries.

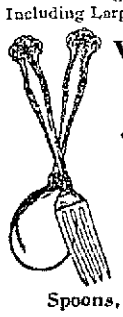
Notified of Appointment.

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 5.—James Tinley, of Wilburton, elected mine inspector of the Seventh district last fall, received notice yesterday of his appointment as inspector for the unexpired term of Inspector Edward Brennan, of this place, who resigned last week.



Toilet Ware

In Sterling or Silver Plate Including Large or Small Pieces.



Watches and Jewelry

The Genuine "1847 ROGERS BROS."

Spoons, Forks, etc.

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The Jeweler,

Dunn-Paine Building, CONNELLSVILLE.

Don't Give A Cheap Christmas Present.

Pay a little more more money and get a present that will always be appreciated by the receiver. We have a large stock of Christmas goods, including

Watches, Rings, Silverware, Clocks.

We carry the best line of goods to be obtained and a present bought from our line will please the one who gets it.

C. T. GILES,

Marietta Block, N. Pittsburg Street.

Union Stores.

The Retail Clerks' Protective Association desires to call your attention to the following list of Union Stores in Connellsville, New Haven and vicinity. Organized labor believes these merchants are worthy of your patronage because they treat their employes in a Christian-like manner.

Lecke, Buckwalter & Co., Dry Goods
H. & J. Kurtz, Dry Goods.
Feathrman & Frank, Dry Goods.
Michener & Hornell, Shoes.
Donnelly & Irwin Shoes.
Mace & Co., Department and Clothing.
Rhoden & Smith, Department Store
Florence Snutz, Department Store
The Fair, Millinery and Dry Goods
R. & R. Keck, Millinery.
Porter & Kurtz, Millinery.
M. J. Davidson, Grocer
John Davidson, Grocer
W. H. Showman, Grocer.
W. R. Scott, Grocer.
J. A. Zimmerman, Grocer.
J. M. Sembower, Grocer.
J. R. Worman, Grocer.
Ira S. Friend, Grocer
Thomas S. Hazen, Grocer.
Anchor Grocery.
D. Sinclair, Grocer.
C. H. Whitely, Grocer
A. P. Wagoner, Grocer.
David King, Grocer.
Marshall & Hist, Grocers.
Leslie Frown, Grocer.
John W. Brown, Dry Goods and Notions.
McCrorey, 5 and 10c Store.
F. T. Evans
J. B. Skinner.
Munson Bros
Fitzmeler & Co

☞ The clerks believe that if you will investigate their claims you will conclude to

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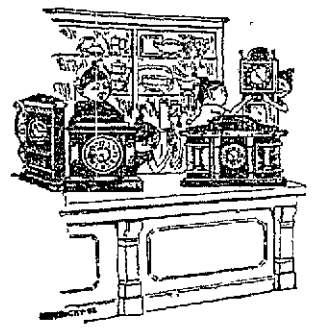
A. B. KURTZ,

JEWELER.

On removal of First National Bank.

Watch This Space.

A STRIKING PROPOSITION.



There is no one thing that beautifies a parlor more than a clock and we have, without doubt the finest display of

Gold Clocks

ever seen in Connellsville. They are all beauties with prices attached that are not beyond your pocketbook. See this line before selecting a Christmas present.

MRS. J. B. WAYS,

West Main Street, next door to Postoffice, Connellsville, Pa.

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Why not buy curtains and draperies where you can choose from the very best patterns the world affords—
Prices are in your favor too—

Come in next time you are in the city—or write.

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SMOTHERED IN BEDS.

Fourteen Men Met Frightful Deaths in a Chicago Hotel Fire.

SMALLEST ROOMS EVER SEEN.

Coroner and Fire Chief Unite in Declaring that Building Was Veritable Trap—Structure Had Been Condemned by Building Inspector.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Fourteen men met death by suffocation yesterday morning in a fire which occurred at 6 o'clock in the Lincoln hotel, 176 Madison street. Thirteen of those who lost their lives were stifled while lying in their beds. One was taken from the building alive, but died in the ambulance on the way to the nearest hospital.

Coroner Traeger, after inspecting the building, united with Fire Chief Musham in declaring that the building was a veritable trap and never should have been used for hotel purposes. Chief Musham declared that there was such wide cracks in the floor that the smoke poured through the buildings in clouds, rendering escape extremely difficult for those on the upper floors.

There was no fire escape on the front of the building, although one was in process of construction. The scaffolding was up and from it dangled several ropes, down which a number of people slid to the pavement after all escape by the stairway had been cut off.

Dead and Injured.

List of the dead: I. C. Yocum, fire insurance agent, prominent in Davenport, Ia; Samuel Yocum, son of I. C. Yocum, Davenport, Ia; A. B. Coon, lawyer, Marengo, Ill.; F. L. Ewing, mail clerk, Marietta, O.; B. F. Boswell, Chicago; T. V. Slocum machine dealer, Wauconda, Ill.; H. K. Woods, Lebanon, Ind.; Edward Toner, printer, Milwaukee; F. W. Corey, 29 years of age, railway postal clerk, Bucyrus, O.; Ward Lowe, railway postal clerk, Sechlerville, Wis.; M. M. Hardy, traveling salesman, Janesville, Wis; C. P. Cowan, collector on the Wabash railroad, St. Louis; George B. Graves, compositor, Chicago; unidentified man, 5 feet 8 inches, 165 pounds, 45 years of age, thin brown hair and moustache.

The injured: J. S. Allison, Richland Center, Wis., cut about the hands; Edward Davenport, Chicago, injured internally by jumping from fourth story to roof of adjoining building; W. G. Thomas, Cedar Rapids, Ia., badly cut and burned; William M. Snyder, Loom City, Ia., bruised by falling down stairs; Mrs. June Shepperd, Chicago, back strained, arms and hands cut and bruised; Robert C. Hamilton, Lebanon Ind., hands cut; Cliff Ward, Battle Creek, Mich., cut about head and hands lacerated; Fred G. Baker, Nashville, Mich., feet burned; Irwin Westerland, Chicago, feet burned; Olof Oldorf, Chicago, hands lacerated.

The hotel was four stories in height and contained an unusual number of rooms for a hotel of its size. After the fire Chief Musham, of the fire department, declared that they were the smallest rooms he had ever seen in any building. Had there been fewer partitions, he declared, the chance of life for those sleeping on the upper floors of the hotel would have been greatly increased.

F. A. Smith, proprietor of the hotel, declared that there was, as nearly as he could judge without his books, about 125 people in the hotel.

Tried to Alarm Guests.

Night Clerk Weber discovered the smoke pouring through the halls shortly before 6 o'clock and did his best to alarm the guests, but the smoke was so dense and increased in volume so rapidly that he was unabe to arouse only a small number and was then compelled to grope his way to the street to avoid suffocation. The guests came pouring down the one stairway of the building in all stages of undress and several leaped from the windows of the second story to the sidewalk below and escaped without serious injury. A number of men, turned back by the smoke in hallways, which prevented them from finding the stairs, swung down on the ropes placed in front of the building by the workmen who were erecting the fire escape. The firemen, who arrived with great promptitude, saved many lives by carrying people down the ladders from the windows. The smoke on the inside of the building was so thick and so pungent that the firemen were unable to do more than take the people from the windows. Those who were not able to reach the windows in a few minutes after the fire broke out were suffocated. The fire in itself amounted to very little.

Celebration of Historic Event.

New York, Dec. 5.—Their third celebration of the anniversary of Washington's farewell to his officers in the long room of Fraunce's tavern, was held this afternoon in the same room of the old tavern at Pearl and Broad streets, by the woman's auxiliary to the Society for the Preservation of Scenic and Historic Places and Objects. It is the intention to restore the tavern to its original design and to place about it a park. The exercises yesterday commenced with a reception.

THE NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Banks Have Lost to Sub-Treasury Since Last Friday Over $5,000,000. Bonds Dull and Easier.

New York, Dec. 5.—There was another attempt to put up the price of stocks yesterday morning, but it did not succeed, and the market soon became weak. Final prices were considerably lower than the night before. Many of the most prominent stocks were not quoted at all from hour to hour. The aggregate transactions for the day dwindled still further from Wednesday's small total.

The sub-treasury statement for yesterday shows that the banks have lost to that institution since last Friday over $5,000,000. This did not include the $1,000,000 withdrawn yesterday for shipment to South America. Yesterday morning the sub-treasury was a creditor at the clearing house for $416,981 on account of some heavy internal revenue collections. It will be seen, therefore, that the week's decline in bank reserves probably will be between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000. The tone of the money market, which continues very firm, is convincing evidence that no relaxation of the money market is expected before the turn of the year.

There was no transfer of currency to the interior through the sub-treasury yesterday, and exchange at Chicago rose from par to 10c premium. Reports from trade authorities of a downward tendency in the price of iron products and a holding back of orders on account of high cost was rather a depressing influence. Bonds were dull and easier in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, par value, $860,000. United States 3s registered declined ¼ per cent on the last call.

P. E. MISSIONARY CONFERENCE.

Training of Missionaries Principal Topic of Discussion.

New York, Dec. 5.—Training of missionaries was the principal topic of discussion by the Protestant Episcopal missionary conference at the Church of Zion and St. Timothy yesterday. The discussion was led by the lord bishop of Thetford.

"I don't know how it is here," said his lordship, "but with us there is a great dearth and growing scarcity of men fitted for the ministry."

The speaker added that parents, when planning the future of their children, often considered only trade and commerce and "leave out the most sacred profession of all, the ministry." He further said that boys at school and young men at college are "a most selfish class," referring particularly to "what they spend on their games—on football."

The lord bishop said it has been calculated that there is "but one missionary to every 30,000 heathens," and he advocated the training of natives as missionaries.

"What we want most in this mission field," said he, "are colleges where the native children can be educated in Christianity."

Barry Johnstone Dying.

Philadelphia, Dec. 5.—Barry Johnstone the actor who last Monday night shot and killed Kate Hassett of Keith's Bijou theater stock company, and then turned the weapon upon himself, is gradually dying at the hospital. During the day he revived slightly, but the physicians say his recovery is impossible. A consultation was held by the doctors yesterday at which it was decided that an operation to remove the two bullets which Johnstone fired into his breast would be futile, and they are now awaiting the end. The murdered woman's body was yesterday forwarded to the home of her parents at Aurora, Ill.

Tots Burned to Death.

Detroit, Dec. 5.—A special to the Free Press from Saginaw, Mich., says that two children of Mrs. Ainsley Bowers, 914 Starless street, were burned to death yesterday afternoon, when their mother left them alone in the house for a few minutes. One child was a girl 6 years old and the other an infant of 2 months. It is supposed the little girl set fire to some papers with which she was playing. The two dead bodies lay on the floor when the fire department responded to an alarm. The house was only slightly damaged.

Sanitary Conference.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The sanitary conference of American republics, which has been in session here since Tuesday, came to an end last night. Santiago de Chili was selected as the place of next meeting, which will occur March 15, 1904. Dr. Eduardo Moore, the delegate from Chili, assured the delegates that all Chili would welcome them, and said an hygienic exhibit would be given in Santiago at the time of the conference.

Man Blown to Atoms.

Philadelphia, Dec. 5.—Horace E. Killig, aged 45 years, superintendent of the Germantown crematory company, was blown to atoms yesterday by an explosion of dynamite. The dynamite was used for blasting purposes in the cemetery attached to the crematory, and Killig was carrying twelve sticks of the explosive into a tool house when he stumbled and dropped his bundle. An explosion followed and Killig was blown to pieces.

Walls Collapse.

Gilmer, Tex., Dec. 5.—The walls of a brick building which had been burned collapsed yesterday. A Mr. Lyle was killed outright, John Hill fatally injured and two others were slightly injured.

Steamer Hard Aground.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 5.—The steamer Cormorant, of the Edward Hines fleet of lumber boats is hard aground off Little Cedar, north of Menominee. She went on during the fierce storm of Wednesday. The tug Delta and a big wrecker from Escanaba went to the scene Tuesday, and Commodore Hamilton, of the fleet has arrived to help save the boat.

Found Valuable Plunder.

Allentown, Pa., Dec. 5.—Mrs. Mary Shollipie was arrested yesterday evening in the act of shoplifting. Police searched her home and found thousands of dollars worth of stolen articles, including 152 silk mufflers, hundreds of yards of lace, three fur boas sealskin sacques, boxes of buttons and other dry goods.

Bank Statements.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE NEW HAVEN NATIONAL BANK, at New Haven, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 25th, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$46,382.49
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,109.37
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		8,271.40
Due from approved reserve agents		18,124.82
Checks and other cash items		80.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		72.09
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$1,735.00	
Legal tender notes	1,500.00	3,235.00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)		625.00
Expenses		250.00
Total		$85,676.82

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$35,000.00
National Bank Notes outstanding	12,500.00
Individual deposits subject to check	35,991.82
Liabilities other than those above stated	2,185.00
Total	$85,676.82

State of Penna., County of Fayette, ss

I, JAMES L. KURTZ, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES L. KURTZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of November, 1902.

J. R. BALSLEY, Notary Public.

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Because he wants to gain the confidence of the people in the Furniture business, as he has succeeded in the Optical and Jewelry business.
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WEATHER FORECAST.

Ohio—Snow or rain and colder in south, snow in north portion today; brisk, possibly high north winds. Tomorrow, fair, except snow in northeast portion.

Western Pennsylvania—Rain or snow in south, snow in north portion today, brisk to high north winds. Tomorrow, snow flurries.

West Virginia—Snow or rain and colder today. Tomorrow, fair.

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DIVERGENT VIEWS.

It is impossible in the publication of a paper, or in fact in the conduct of any business, to please everybody. We can only pursue the course that seems to us to be right and take the chances of pleasing as many others as we can.

These remarks are brought forth by three letters now before us. One says, "I can't do without The Courier, but am sorry that you have changed your politics. I think there is a place for a real Democracy yet, although I very much admire our President."

The second letter says: "I am delighted to see The Courier a Republican paper. I consider it one of the best country papers in Western Pennsylvania, and so much superior to the —— —— that I discontinued the —— —— and subscribed for your paper although a Democratic paper at the time. I have considered you a Democrat under protest for some years."

The third letter is from an almost extinct species in politics known as the Rockwater Democracy, rarely found now outside of Greene county, where its early extinction is threatened by the advent of the Wabash railroad. The letter is dated at Webster, and we cannot help wondering how the writer has lived in a town with a Whig name so long. This Ancient Democratic Mariner, who evidently believes in voting the Democratic ticket, even as Lem Jucklin believed in the Bible, "from kiver to kiver," says: "Connellsville Flopper Sir: Discontinue the sheet at once I have been thinking some time of stopping the paper ever since it sneaked out of the Democratic party through the Back door of the gold Democrat party and into the cellar door of the Rep party. I have no further use for that kind of news."

Winter came with a dull thud.

The gang of Italians who are confined in the county jail for alleged trespass on the part of their employing company would perhaps rather have their freedom and their employment even though their wages go on. The punishment of these ignorant and really innocent men looks like a mockery of justice.

The Courier's oft repeated appeals to the public to observe the precaution of vaccination are emphasized by the horrible fate of Floyd N Frum. The circumstances of this case prove the necessity of persistent vaccination until the desired results are obtained.

The traditions of Trump Hollow are poetical and are entitled to the poet's license.

Thomas Brackett Reed is a private citizen, but he is much in the public eye. He is one of the Nation's great men, and the people all join in the hope that he may be spared to many years of usefulness, aye, and to public service.

The Army wants its canteen back, and its wishes ought to govern the matter. A man, even though he be a soldier, ought to have some choice of what he eats and drinks. That is a right which the people who want to regulate his fare reserve to themselves, and they would be very indignant if the soldier insisted upon the common use on their part of either pants or petticoats.

The inauguration of Fire Marshal Stillwagon last night was a blaze of glory and a wealth of good cheer which the boys heartily enjoyed. If the new administration is as successful in fighting fires as it is in roasting pigs, and we have no doubt it will be, Connellsville will be preserved to future generations.

The printing of books and magazines with uncut leaves ought to be made a crime punishable by law.

There is such a thing as a newspaper being too enterprising. Our esteemed but over-zealous contemporary, The News, had a very startling story yesterday on a big fire in New York, of which it seemed especially proud. The fire occurred in Chicago, and was noted in The Courier for all it was worth in this community. When you see it in The Courier it's so.

Among Our Exchanges.

The Edwardsville (Ill.) Intelligencer was a real yellow journal last week, printed on yellow paper. The journal is, however, not yellow like its New York namesake. It is a conservative, but up-to-date and neatly printed twice-a-week paper.

The Greene County Democrat says Grover Cleveland is the only man in the United States who cannot carry Greene county on a Democratic ticket. Grover is coming to the front. The Democrat may have to eat crow yet.

The Donora American thinks the recent action of the borough authorities there in notifying all property owners to construct sidewalks immediately is timely and proper, and says the only fault that can be found with the action is that it was not taken sooner.

Dawson Brevities.

The following persons were in Pittsburg yesterday. J. R. Laughrey, B. F. Forsythe, T. Robb Deyarmon, Miss Emma Jones of Dawson, H. S. Bute and J. F. Black of Dickerson Run.

Earl Forsythe is visiting in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Newmyer were in Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. Bertha Strickler of Monessen is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Ruse.

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IS WINTRY WEATHER.

Nearly 12 Inches of Snow Fell in Four Hours Last Night.

DAMAGE HEAVIEST TO WIRES

Of Telegraph, Telephone, Electric and Railroad Companies—No Drifting in the Mountain Districts and Little Here—Street Railway Tied Up.

The first real winter weather is here today. It came since midnight. On a level there are between 11 and 12 inches of snow. In the lower part of the county and the mountainous districts there is little difference in the snow fall. On the mountains there was less drifting than there is about Connellsville. Reports from Normalville state that the snow fell as a blanket. There was perfect calm. It did not begin to come down there until 2 o'clock this morning, two hours later than the first flakes descended here, but by 6 there was 12 inches. It was the heaviest fall of snow they ever saw, the old residents of the mountains say, in so short a space of time.

The most damage is to fruit trees in the country districts, for the snow is heavy and to telephone, electric, telegraph and street railway wires. Between Connellsville and Pittsburg on the Baltimore & Ohio there are many wires down, but the Connellsville Division over the mountain, strange to say, is in good shape. The Pittsburg, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company's lines have practically been tied up since morning but at 2 o'clock this afternoon cars were running irregularly. The Suburban line was not opened until shortly before noon. Large forces of men were at work on it and the Everson and Leisenring divisions all day. The company's snow plough was not in good working order, the heavy fall being rather unexpected.

At the coke works through the Connellsville region the heavy snow caused some inconvenience. The railroads were much handicapped in the movement of coke and placing of empties will be difficult for tomorrow's run. The snow, it is estimated, will make a difference of nearly 1,000 cars in this week's shipments from the region, a slump that the furnaces can ill afford to stand just at present.

Passenger trains made fairly good time today both on the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio. All through trains had double headers and two engines have also been used all day on the Southwest passenger trains.

The temperature today rose some, but the weather bureau says more snow is likely tonight.

THE PLAY.

Features of the Attractions Billed Here This Week.

The success of Carl A. Haswin's detective drama, "The Counterfeiters," will doubtless inspire many imitators and we are indebted to Charles P. Rice, the author of the play for his invasion of a fertile field that is interesting, romantic and picturesque. Mr. Rice acknowledges he received his inspiration from the tales of a Secret Service detective who has been for many years in the government employ and who could turn out stories that would make the covers of dime novels turn green with envy. Into a touching and dramatic love story the thrilling incidents of the pursuit and capture of a desperate gang of counterfeiters have been interwoven and the tale is as much of a fact as of fancy. Not only is the pursuit of these false coiners productive of much that is of dramatic interest but it has also its humorous side and so skillfully have the two elements been brought together that the title comedy would be almost as appropriate as melodrama. From the time the murder is unwillingly committed in the first act, on through the false accusation of the young hero, the escape from prison, the separation of the young lover from his sweetheart, the accidental finding of the counterfeiters gang, the long search for the real assassin and his final discovery in the last act the interest is never allowed to flag. At the Connellsville Theatre matinee and night, Saturday, December 6th.

The Edwards Stock Company opens for three nights in "The Power of Wealth," Monday, December 8th. The productions are well staged with a competent cast.

Shakespeare's great love play, "Romeo and Juliet," will be presented Thursday, December 11th.

Killed Going to Work.

Lizzie Howlett and Mayme Myers were killed on the Pennsylvania railroad Thursday morning on their way to work at the Kelley & Jones works at Greensburg. They were aged about 16 years.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town.

How did you like it this morning?

Thirty-three per cent. reduction on all millinery at the great sale at The Fair.

The Pierces are arranging for another big shooting match at Gibson on Christmas day.

If you want a good first-class bob sled call at the office of the Youghiogheny Lumber Yard, New Haven, Pa.

Miss Ella Hyatt will entertain a young ladies' euchre club at her home on South Pittsburg street this evening.

Miss Mary Wason one of the nurses at the Cottage State Hospital, went today for a week's visit with friends in Pittsburg.

Mace & Co. herewith inform the public that from the 12th to the 26th of December no coupons for photographs will be issued.

George Ethelbert Mills of Uniontown was in town last night attending Company D's drill. He drifted up to the firemen's pig roast after drill.

George P. Blackburn, of the State Bureau of Statistics, is representing his department in the collection of statistics in this section of the State Mr. Blackburn is visiting the captains of labor and industry for the purpose of securing the statistics of their business which are of public interest.

At the weekly drill of Company D last night a detail was made to get all uniforms in shape for the spring inspection, the date of which has not yet been announced. It is thought that new uniforms may be secured by that time, but in order to be certain of a fair showing the old ones will be cleaned up.

Workmen are busy putting up the big steel book stacks in the Carnegie Free Library building. These occupy the high-ceilinged space to the rear of the main corridor and the counters. The stacks are of the newest model and a marvel of general convenience. Books that have already arrived are being placed in the upstairs rooms until the stacks are completed.

FIREMEN'S PIG ROAST.

Entertained Their Friends in Liederkrantz Hall Last Night.

It didn't snow last night until after the firemen's pig roast. At least no snow was noticed in the vicinity of Liederkrantz Hall, Fairview avenue. Things were too warm around there. The annual reception and pig roast of the Connellsville fire department was the most successful affair of the kind ever given by the firemen. Two hundred guests of the fire laddies were entertained royally in Liederkrantz Hall. Present in the assembly were members of Town Council, ex-firemen, the membership of the fire department, representatives of the press and a number of friends of the firemen. All who were invited had the privilege of bringing a friend. The affair was one of those free-and-easy gatherings where everybody feels at home and wishes they were at home oftener. Two roasted pigs, roasted whole in the old fashioned way, garnished with green, decked out with ribbons; several turkeys, just the right shade of brown; lots of other things, lots of waiters; that was the program of the evening.

And beaming on the whole affair with the satisfied smile of one who has tried to arrange an entertainment and has succeeded, was Fire Marshal "Ashtabula" Stillwagon. He knows how to arrange a pig roast just as well as he knows how to arrange fire-fighting apparatus. He says the firemen will roast more pigs next year

Look Here, Business Men.

FOR SALE.—ROLL TOP OFFICE DESK, revolving chair and small safe. Cheap to quick buyer. Call 522 Johnston avenue. dec4-5 w5

A Special Announcement.

For the next 20 days I am going to make a special effort to increase my business double the amount of any other month in the past year, which has been very good, and to do this I realize that something very interesting to the purchasing public must be done, I therefore purpose to sell at a special price any and all the fine lot of Pianos and Organs purchased by me for this Holiday trade (no second-hand goods, not bought from some retiring dealer that had a lot of shop worn goods left over from last season, but fresh new goods bought especially for this month's trade). I invite you to call at my music parlors, 115 South Pittsburg street, Connellsville, and see my line and get my prices, and I will convince you that I can and will sell you more quality and beauty for a dollar than any other dealer in this part of the State.

S. R. MASON,
LEADING DEALER,
Connellsville, Pa.

OPEN EVENINGS.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

Still after the Men

If these men will only ask their women folks where they want their Christmas Gifts to come from they'll find that this store has the preference above others. They'll find out there's an added value to the gift when it's known to have come from this store, and the women will know, too, for there's lots of women in this vicinity who have a habit of saying "When I want a good dress I go to Dunn's." You've heard this remark as often as we have. Telling you men folks these things because we want you to make this store your Christmas Store, because if you come in now we'll have more time to help you with your selections. We've lots of good gift goods here besides those that are found at the Dress Goods Counter, but for the reason that nothing you could buy would be more appreciated than enough goods for a dress or a skirt or a waist, we have used so much newspaper space to interest the men in these goods. Another reason, it's something that men don't usually buy, and for that reason it will be a bigger surprise when Christmas arrives. You can have your gift from this department cost you from $2.50 up as high as you care to go. Linings and trimmings selected for you, too, if you want us to. Here's how one dress would count up: Six yards of our $1.50 Broadcloth, black and every staple color, that's $9.00; 6 yards of lining, a good salesia at 15c a yard, that's 90c; or if you want silk lined, 8 yards of yard wide taffetta at $1.25, that's $10.00, make your present cost you from $9.90 up to $19.00. That's just one suggestion that we tell you about. We'll put in all you need for the dress or waist you select, figure it up and show you just what the entire cost will be of any piece of goods in our stock if you'll come in and give us the opportunity.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131, 133 N. PITTSBURG STREET,
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

CHRISTMAS COMING.

It's none too soon to start your preparations, either. There's many odd little things about the store you can pick up at a small price that will make excellent gifts. Now is the time to get them, others will be picking them out if you wait too long.

Winter Is Now Starting in Earnest.

You Ladies thought or didn't know before just exactly what you needed for winter. We have most everything you can or will need for winter protection—Comforts, Blankets, Men's and Boys' Sweaters, Shoes, Hose, Caps, Rubbers and Boots, Ladies' Skirts and Jackets, Infants' Coats, Etc.. If you forgot or neglected these things before, now is none too soon to get them.

Men's Sweweaters.

Men's Young Men's and Little Men's Sweaters. There is no better protection in winter.

Men's Cotton Sweaters at 48c
All-wool ones at 75c, worth $1.00.
Others a bit heavier, choice of navy and white, royal and white or red and white at $1.25. Others value them at $1.75.

Men's Overalls.

You will find them really wearable, union made, 49c.
Railroad, union made, 75c.

Overshoes, Rubber and Felt Boots.

Good foot protection is necessary so preserve good health. When out of doors you need either Overshoes or Boots. We offer you a very extensive line to select from. A few prices will give you an idea of the cost:

Children's and Misses Overshoes, sizes 9 to 2, 38c values at 25c.
Ladies' low cut at 25c, and the storm ones at 35c. Bring 50c at ordinary stores.
Out-of-door workers need rubber or felt boots. Rubber ones at $2.25, value $3.00. The one-buckle felts at $1.50, value $2.00. Two-buckle, somewhat heavier, high top, white leg, value $3.00, our price $2.25.

Dishes, Chinaware, Etc.

We have quite a few odd lots of Dishes—need the space they occupy for Christmas goods. We've set a price on them that will quickly move them—that is if price is any object to you.

Tulon Englishware Tureens, marked 75 to 89c, now 48c.
English Porcelain Teapots, marked 65c, now 48c.
Soup Plates, the pretty blue ware, marked 12c, now 10c.
Elysee Englishware Plates, marked 72c the set of six, now 50c.
Many other nice things, you'll find them half way back on the left.
We have some unique things in Tea Sets—you'll know why when you see them. Six-piece fancy gold-rimmed, worth $1.25, the price is 98c.
Something out of the ordinary are the German Chocolateware Sets at 50c.
Water Sets at 98c and up.
A few very pretty Parlor Lamps—some they're called. The low prices we put on them will certainly mean a sale if you see them and need one.
An extra beautiful $15 Lamp goes for $7.98.
A fine 26-inch $10 Lamp at $5.95.
Some other nice ones at $3.25.
Another lot—not cheap lamps, but lamps cheap—99c.
A few other things we might mention—Coco Door Mats keep mud out of the house—19c to 89c.
Don't forget us next time you need a Chair Seat, 14 to 18-in. 5c to 10c.

Ladies' Jackets,

There's quality in them, $2.48, $3.75, $4.98. You cannot get as good elsewhere at less than a half more.
Coats for youngsters from 4 to 14 years $1.25 up to $4.89.
Infants' short Coats, 59c, 99c, $1.25, $1.98.
Ladies' Dress Skirts, $1.99, $2.99, $4.98.

New York Racket Store,
C. E. SCHMITZ, Proprietor.
166 W. Main St., Connellsville.

Shoe Your Boys

There never were more styles to choose from than now. The new Winter shapes and weights are here.

There isn't any better wearing, better fitting or more satisfactory shoes sold than ours. Nothing spared to make them wear. There never will be a time when you can buy and be suited in every way better than now. The saving our prices afford should bring parents here without delay.

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A Modern Cafe for Ladies and Gentlemen. . . .
BISHOP & KREGER, Props.

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" Tri-State Phone 243.
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Don't Let an Opportunity Slip Away!

There are still left from our Closing Out Sale several exceptional bargains in Furniture. The balance of the stock will go at
. . . YOUR OWN PRICE. . . .
Secure some of these extraordinary bargains before they are all gone.

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Both Phones. 242 NORTH PITTSBURG STREET.
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The Union Label.

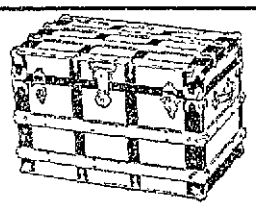
The Union Label will be found on a very large percentage of our clothing. Wherever found, it is a guarantee that the clothing bearing it is well made by skilled work people at fair wages, and what is still more important to the wearer, that it is made under proper sanitary conditions

ARE YOU

Acquainted

With the Character of our Clothing?

If you are not it is to your interest that you should be. The best way to become acquainted is to call and examine it. Try on a suit or overcoat and let us show you wherein it differs from the ordinary kind of ready made clothing. We can show you in a few minutes what would require a large amount of space to tell you on the printed page. The best evidence of the merits of our kind of clothing is the number of well pleased people who are wearing it. Included in the list is a large number of business and professional men. "Never had a better fit; a friend of mine thought it was made to order," are remarks that we frequently hear. We want you to put our clothing to the test.



Our stock of Trunks and Travelers' Goods is large and complete. Good, substantial Suit Cases, well made and trimmed, as low as $1.50. "Keartol," a good imitation of a fine grain leather, will not scratch, 22 inch $3 25; 24 inch $3.50. Leather Suit Cases, $4.75 to $10.

Men's High Grade Sack Suits,

Made of Cheviots, Cassimeres, Worsteds and Thibets, in the new fashionable fabrics, and blues and blacks. Hand padded collars, well tailored throughout,

$10 to $20

Men's Sack Suits,

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If you haven't investigated our

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You've missed a good thing. Now would be a good time to look into it.

Merit is the standard by which our Boys' and Young Men's Clothing is manufactured.

Excellent values in—

Boys' Suits,

$1.50 to $6.50

Overcoats,

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Men's High Grade Overcoats,

In the new swagger long cuts, some with slash pockets, some with pockets straight across. All with more style and merit than you would expect to find for the prices,

$15 to $25

Men's Overcoats,

In all lengths and styles, well made and serviceable,

$5 to $14

We will make any reasonable alterations and press your suit nicely without extra charge.

E. W. HORNER,

New Marietta Building, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

RESENTS REPRIMAND.

Col. Jas. E. Barnett Wants an Investigation of One of His Orders

DURING THE SHAMOKIN DUTY.

It All Comes About Over a Controversy with a Brigade Staff Officer Concerning Tenth's Part in Mitchell Day Parade.

Colonel James E Barnett of the Tenth Regiment, Infantry, will demand of Adjutant General Thomas J Stewart an investigation of a reprimand which he received while the regiment was stationed at Shamokin. The circumstances of the case are peculiar On the occasion of the big Mitchell Day parade the day before the regiment left the anthracite region, a number of prominent citizens of Shamokin asked Colonel Barnett to have a heavy guard in town, as on previous occasions of the same character, disorder had been rife. Consequently the entire regiment was ordered out, and headed the procession of 15,000 miners The parade ended without an incident of disorder of any kind The soldiers were not at the head of the procession for "a grandstand play" It was not a military pageant. The soldiers had their rifles in first class shape and the cartridges were not too tight in their belts

After the parade an officer in the Adjutant General's office called Colonel Barnett up over the long distance telephone and administered a severe rebuke The language he used, it is said, was not over choice. Colonel Barnett holds that this was similar to a public reprimand and contrary to military usages The fact that the Tenth Infantry gave but one exhibition dress parade in Shamokin while other regiments of the Second Brigade gave one every day shows that Colonel Barnett was there for business and not for military show

Want a Big Pay.

Railroad men are very attentive to duty now and are making as much time as possible so as to be able to meet Santa Claus with a well filled pocketbook.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes Gathered From all Parts of the Town.

The good resolution fellows are preparing

The largest line of fine millinery at The Fair

The store windows are putting on a holiday appearance

The electric light plant is now running the longest hours of the year.

Christmas shopping has already begun Wise shoppers will buy now

Buy your Monte Carlo coats at 66c on the dollar at the great sale at The Fair.

Circulating sermons will be the next thing since Greene county has them by telephone

The closing hours of the stores have been lengthened out to 8 o'clock from now until after the holiday trade

The past season has been a busy one for the painters, and many properties about town look much better for their manipulations

An exchange says there is no such thing as the perfect life No sooner do we get rid of the mosquitoes than the plumbers begin to bleed us.

Mr. and Mrs George Harrer, Mrs. Dr W. F Shotts and daughter, Miss Mabel, were guests the early part of the week of Mrs E N Stahl, Gallatin avenue

H M Kephart, proprietor of the Smith house, is recovering from his illness There is no truth in the rumor that he has smallpox Erysipelas was his trouble and he had a bad case

A B Kurtz is occupying one window of the First National Bank's present headquarters, which he is to have as soon as the bank gets out 'Bert hopes to be ready for the holiday trade His window display looks well

The officers and men of the Second Brigade of the Pennsylvania National Guard, will ask that the next Adjutant General shall be from Western Pennsylvania The office has been held for two terms by an Eastern man. Western Guardsmen are rooting for Brigadier General John A. Wiley, the Second Brigade's commander

Daniel Conley of Trotter spent Friday evening last in Scottdale where he became acquainted with several youths who steered him into May's carriage barn and relived him of a gold watch and some money. On Saturday information was made before 'Squire Steiner and John Collins placed under arrest Conley announced that all he wanted was his property back. Collins returned the watch and money and was then dismissed on payment of the costs.

Winter Resorts for the Feet

Water Proof Shoes, Felt Boots for Men, Women, Boys, Misses and Children Arctics, Alaskas, Rubber Boots and Sandals from size 4 in Children's to 12 in Men's.

Our Winter footwear has been selected with the greatest care and you will find it the largest and best grade of footwear kept in Fayette county. We keep the best only.

R. M. HUNT & CO.,

White Brick Front, Pittsburg Street.

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All kinds of Furniture Repaired, Refinished, Upholstered and Polished. Carpet Laying Mattresses Renovated Good work guaranteed. All Mail Orders will receive prompt attention.

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Union Supply Company,

—DEALERS IN—

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

45 Department Stores---45

We are interested in the Shoe business at present, and we want to interest you. We want you to look at our Shoes. We only ask you to look at them. We can convince you without talk that we have what you want. We guarantee every pair and make our guarantee good. They must give satisfaction or we will refund your money. Can you get the same guarantee from any other dealer?

We have the greatest line of Men's Dress Shoes from $1.50 to $5.00 it has ever been our privilege to show, and we have shown some good ones in the past.

Our line of Ladies' Fine Shoes from $1.25 to $3.50 is just as good as you can find anywhere at 50 cents a pair more.

Our Children's Shoes are well and neatly made, and are substantial. You first want a child's shoe to look neat, and next you want it to be durable. Our goods are made with these points in view. You will be pleased with them when you see them, and you will be better pleased with them after your child has worn them.

We have the best line of Heavy Shoes for everyday wear and Working Shoes there is on the market.

Our Shoes are all made to our order by the best factories in the world. If they do not give satisfaction we will refund you your money. It will cost you nothing to give us a trial and you may find that you have been benefitted by doing so. We believe you will.

Union Supply Company.

DONALD DONALDSON, JR.

Being a True Record and Explanation of the Seven Mysteries Now Associated With His Name In the Public Mind, and of an Eighth, Which Is the Key of the Seven

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By HOWARD FIELDING

CHAPTER XIII.

"THE DESIRE OF THE MOTH FOR THE STAR."

[CONTINUED.]

"The way to cease to desire something," said she, "is to desire something else. Find a right love, Carl. I hope you may. There is a woman somewhere who is really young, who needs no miracle, who will not fade in a year or two. Find her."

She turned away and walked toward the front of the house. He remained standing stock still for fully a minute and then sank slowly forward upon his knees and still lower. He seemed to be kneeling upon the body of an enemy. I could hear him mutter curses, and he beat the turf beside the graveled path with his fists.

It was the most extraordinary spectacle of the abandonment of self control that ever I saw and was made even more remarkable by the suddenness with which it ceased. The man arose and wiped his soiled hands with his handkerchief; then he felt nervously in his pockets. He found a cigar and crushed it in his fingers without realizing what he was doing. But a second was successfully lighted, and Carl strolled out into the moonlight beyond the shadow of the house with his accustomed careless and graceful stride.

CHAPTER XIV.

THE RETURN OF "A BAD PENNY."

THERE was a great weight upon me as I left the library. My heart echoed Dorothy's words precisely. My protest, like hers, was against any change in the ways of our lives, which had seemed so perfectly well ordered; not that I fancied they could ever be the same again. Upon the contrary, I perceived clearly enough that Archer must be sent away for his own sake and the peace of all of us.

I blamed him bitterly. There was never less excuse for any man's folly. In the sixty years that I have been in the world I have never seen a woman whose heart could be read more easily than Dorothy's nor a man whose guilty thought had been hidden behind a mask so impenetrable as that which Carl had worn. If he had been mistaken in her, he must be mad, but it seemed to me that not even the mysterious power which she had once possessed could have warned her against him. His manner toward her, as I would have sworn from constant observation, had always been perfect. Yet it is true, of course, that those who stand nearest to such tragedies of the home are often most blind to their beginnings. Mrs. Kelvin's hint about Donald recurred to me, and I wondered with a shudder whether he had looked into Archer's heart. If that were true, it could have been only to hate the man, never to fear him.

When I came out upon the veranda, Dorothy was sitting in a big chair with her son upon the arm of it. I saw them against the brightest of the moonlight, and this made Donald loom dark, like a great statue of bronze.

"Where is your father, Don?" she was asking him as I stepped out.

"In his room, writing," he answered. "Shall I call him?"

She answered "No;" that she would go up.

"I'll carry you," said he, and in an instant he had lifted her with his right arm alone by a peculiar knack which I had never seen the like of before. It was very easy and graceful, and Dorothy was perched upon his arm like a bird on a bough.

"Oh, Donald," she cried, steadying herself with a hand upon his bare head, "I'm too heavy! I'll topple you over."

"I have a pond lily in my buttonhole on the other side," said he. "I'm balanced perfectly."

And he strode away with her into the house.

I waited there a long time for Carl, but he did not appear, and at last I made up my mind not to speak to him of my plan for sending him away until I had had more time to mature it. No immediate action was necessary, for upon the following day Carl went to visit a friend of his who lived in a fine country house about half way between Tunbridge and the Junction. He had made such visits before, and if I had not had the wretched fortune to play eavesdropper I should not have felt the need of any explanation of his departure.

A day or two later Donaldson laid the whole case before me in a manner most delicate and most affecting. He spoke as if I had been his father. Archer had come to him," he said, in such an attitude of mind as to alter his own feeling materially. He was inclined to believe that the man had been greatly overwrought by the exigencies of our common business affairs.

"He believes," said Donaldson, "that Kelvin will win in this fight and that it will be the beginning of the end, so far as this business is concerned. He has brooded over it and gone sleepless, as he tells me, and I know what strange things, contrary to his own real nature, a man may do when subject to such a strain. It is a weak justification, but one can't look at him and feel that there is nothing in it. He has been beside himself for weeks. I think his attitude toward Don has been the result of pure nervousness. At any rate, acting under Dorothy's advice, I am unwilling to do anything that may cut Carl off from the benefit of your influence. I know how strong an affection you have for him"—

"That's the central fact, isn't it?" I interrupted. "You want to please me. Well, then, let's wait. Let's trust a bit to him. We will not hastily condemn a man who seems to be struggling to redeem himself."

Now that my attention was thus directly called to it I perceived that Carl had not been himself of late, and I was weakly anxious to make the best possible plea for him. He was my dead sister's son and had been dear to me. I thought it might be well to have a long talk with him, and one day when I came into my office after luncheon and found him there alone I was upon the point of burdening him with much useless advice, but he turned my mind into another channel.

"Who do you think has been here?" said he. "The last man you'd expect to see, upon my word."

"Not Kelvin?" I queried, for a call from him at that juncture would indeed have been unexpected.

"Severn," answered Carl, "the first one—the pretender."

I was amazed at the impudence of this visit.

"He wouldn't tell me what he wanted," said Carl. "He inquired for you and promised to come back."

"His reception will be more lively than cordial," I responded.

It was about half an hour later when the man appeared. His looks had greatly changed, but whether he was in disguise then or had been so before I could not have decided. He had an official and solemn air as he entered the office, and he laid a card upon the leaf of my desk without having spoken a word in the meantime. The card conveyed to my mind the information that Mr. Frank Gillespie was a special operator for the Dorn Detective agency of New York.

"You lost some money awhile ago," said Mr. Gillespie. "Well, sir, our agency keeps its eyes on little matters of that kind, and when they're particularly interesting we sometimes investigate on our own account without offering our services in the regular way."

"Was that why you came here before?" I demanded.

Mr. Gillespie gravely inclined his head. I asked him why he hadn't said so like an honest man, and I received in return the information that the detective business sometimes involved an element of deception.

"Now, Mr. Harrington," said he, "what is there in it if I find that money?"

I was strongly indisposed to deal with this man, yet I would have been glad of the money, and I could not suppose that he had come to see me a second time without having some very promising clew. So I asked him what he would think right.

"Ten per cent of what I find," said he promptly and added, "I'm suspicious that the amount may be a trifle short."

I was more than suspicious that it might be so, supposing that Mr. Gillespie should find it when no one was watching him. However, I agreed to his terms, with the proviso that more than half the money should be recovered and the crime fully exposed.

"Well, sir," said he, "I think I'm prepared to do it, but I warn you that it will be considerable of a shock to you."

"It will be a good deal more of a shock to the thief," said I. "I guess that I can stand it if he can."

With the crude caution appropriate to his trade, Gillespie dragged his chair closer to mine, and with an eye upon the door and his lips close to my ear he whispered:

"It's your man Donaldson who turned this trick."

"No, sir," said I; "that won't go."

"Wait a bit," said he, laying a hand upon my arm.

"I won't listen to this charge except in Mr. Donaldson's presence," said I. "You don't inspire me with very much confidence, to be frank with you. But if you have the stamina to make this charge to Mr. Donaldson's face, that will give you a sort of standing."

"Very well," said he, spreading out his hands.

I touched a button that rings a bell in the outer office, and when a boy entered in response to it I said:

"Ask Mr. Donaldson to step this way."

It happened that Donald had entered the outer office within a few minutes, and the boy thought that it was the son and not the father whom I wished to see. To my surprise, therefore, the door presently opened, and Donald entered.

He closed the door slowly and stood with his back against it.

"How do you do, Mr. Gillespie?" he said.

The detective was taken by surprise, but he masked it fairly well.

"You have just made a serious charge against my father," said Donald. "Have you any proof of it?"

"I'll produce my proofs at the proper time," answered Gillespie.

"This is the proper time," said I. "Produce the evidence now or forever hold your peace."

"I say that he took the money," protested Gillespie. "He changed the packages on your desk. That I knew at the start, but it took me a long while to work down to what he'd done with the money."

"Well," said Donald, "have you worked down to it?"

"I have," responded Gillespie, with precision. "He played the same trick twice. He put the money into another package and dropped it in his box at the bank."

"Can you describe that package?" demanded Donald.

"Well enough," answered Gillespie. And he gave details, adding, "I saw him take that package to the bank at a certain day and hour."

And he named the day and the hour, whereby I knew for certain that it was the Strobel correspondence to which he referred.

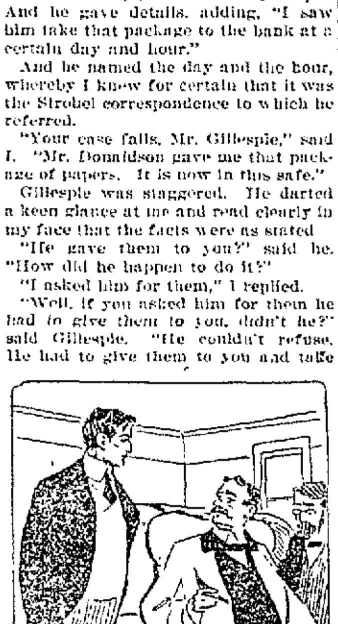
"Your case falls, Mr. Gillespie," said I. "Mr. Donaldson gave me that package of papers. It is now in this safe."

Gillespie was staggered. He darted a keen glance at me and read clearly in my face that the facts were as stated.

"He gave them to you?" said he. "How did he happen to do it?"

"I asked him for them," I replied.

"Well, if you asked him for them he had to give them to you, didn't he?" said Gillespie. "He couldn't refuse. He had to give them to you and take



"How do you do, Mr. Gillespie?"

his chances of getting the money afterward. Let's see the package."

I was already busy unlocking the safe. Gillespie had hard work to restrain himself during this process, and when the safe was open I expected to see him dive into it, but he managed to stick to his chair. I took the package out and opened it upon the leaf of my desk. The various documents rolled apart. There was no money whatever in the package.

"Who had the combination of that safe?" demanded Gillespie.

"Myself alone," said I. "I changed it on the day when I put the package in there. It is an unquestionable certainty that nobody has opened the safe since then."

Gillespie began to walk the floor, gnawing his lips.

"Well, sir," said I. "If you are ready to make your charge, I will call Mr. Donaldson."

"I—don't—think—I'm—quite—ready," said Mr. Gillespie slowly.

"Can you produce the money?"

"Not this afternoon," he replied; "not this afternoon. I may have something to say about it tomorrow."

He stood looking at Donald for some seconds thoughtfully, then turned upon his heel and strode out of the room. Donald walked to one of the windows and stood there, moodily staring out. Not knowing just what to say, I busied myself in wrapping up the papers and returning them to the safe.

"Can this be confidential, uncle," said Donald—"everything that happens between us this afternoon? Why bother my father with it yet? Let's wait until we get to the bottom of it."

"I'm willing, Donald," said I, "if you think it important."

"It is indeed," he replied. "And now before you lock up the safe I'll give you this."

He drew a great roll of money from the side pocket of his sack coat.

"Mr. Gillespie was suspicious that the amount might be a trifle short," he said. "It is. There's $5,000 missing—almost all the smaller bills."

I was so overpowered by surprise that I did not at first notice this new instance of the accuracy with which Donald could quote remarks which were not made in his presence. He had repeated Gillespie's suspicion precisely.

"You have found it!" I exclaimed.

"I had to," replied Donald. "This man was coming to make this charge against my father. It was absolutely necessary that I should find that money. Put it away, please. Quick! Some one is coming."

Donaldson and Jim Bunn entered, the former waving his hand, in which there was a letter.

"The proxy from Silas Harrington!" he cried. "The branch is safe. We can win now by fifty shares even if Thorndyke votes against us."

"If Mr. Thorndyke votes against you," said Donald gloomily, "you will lose by fifty shares."

We all stared at him.

"There's no possible way to figure that out," said Donaldson.

"I don't figure it out," said Donald; "I know it. Yet what I know is not what will happen. It is what would happen if I didn't know it. Is that clear?"

"As clear as mud," said his father, laughing

CHAPTER XV.

THE PREDICTION OF DEATH.

"LET'S see once more how the thing stands," said I. "Practically every share of the whole 10,000 can be placed now."

I sat down by my desk and made out a table, which I will present here somewhat abridged. It is not necessary to include the names of the small stockholders whose position was perfectly well known to us, nor of those whose proxies were held either by Kelvin or myself. The event proved that we were right about this matter to the last share. Therefore the list may be given in this form:

HARRINGTON.

John Harrington	4,150
Donaldson	100
Archer	100
Bunn	100
Silas Harrington (proxy)	200
Proxies and small holders	375
	5,025

KELVIN.

Kelvin	3,900
Thorndyke	225
Proxies and small holders	850
	4,975

Harrington's majority, 50.

There was considerable discussion in regard to the smaller holders who would personally vote and in regard to the proxies, for, though Donaldson and I were perfectly agreed, Jim Bunn differed from us very widely. He believed that of the 850 shares which I had credited to Kelvin in the above table at least one-half would go to us, thus making the result of the election sure. I don't know how he could so far deceive himself, but he was perfectly sincere in his opinion and persisted in crediting us with the votes of men who were as sure to vote the Kelvin ticket as Kelvin was himself. Among them were two members of the present directory of the company. It was they who had objected to moving the office, as I mentioned somewhere in the early part of this narrative.

It will be remembered that Donald had made a startling prediction in regard to Bunn and that it had been verified by Bunn's redemption of his stock which had stood in my name. But I had received Bunn's solemn pledge that this stock should not pass out of his control, either by sale or proxy, and that it should never be voted against me. He was a stockholder of record at the date prescribed, before the election, and I counted upon him with the same certainty that I counted upon Donaldson or Archer.

When my table had been made up and sufficiently discussed, I showed it to Donald.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Possibilities of the Trolley.

The ramifications of the trolley systems of the United States are a source of never ending wonder, says the Chicago Record-Herald. Routes fifty and seventy-five miles long from the different large cities are common. So rapid has been the growth of the trolley throughout the New England and middle states that within five years, it is predicted, one will be able to travel from Augusta, Me., to Chicago and even much farther west. The network of lines comprising this system will represent 7,500 miles.

Woman's Prison?

Vesey—Has your sister come out yet?

Varick—Oh, yes. She's been in a year. —Town Topics.

Railroad Time Tables.

PITTSBURG DIVISION AND BRANCHES.

On and after Nov. 23rd, 1902, passenger trains will leave Connellsville for Chicago via Pittsburg and Akron without change. Express 1.10 and 6.14 p. m. daily.

For Cincinnati, St. Louis and Louisville via Pittsburg, 5.05 a. m. and 6.14 p. m. daily.

For Pittsburg, week days, 5.05, 7.40, 7.55, 11.05 a. m.; 1.10, 2.32, 6.14, 7.10 p. m.; Sundays, 5.05, 7.40, 7.55 a. m., and 1.10, 6.14 and 7.10 p. m.

For Washington, Pa., and Wheeling.—Week days, 5.05, 11.05 a. m.; 1.10 and 6.14 p. m. Sundays, 5.05 a. m., 1.10 and 6.14 p. m.

For Mount Pleasant.—Week days, 8.80 a. m., 3.45 and 6.55 p. m.

For Uniontown.—Week days, 7.55, 9.50 a. m., 4.05 and 6.45 p. m. Sundays, 9.50 a. m. and 6.45 p. m.

For Leckrone.—Week days, 7.55 a. m.

For Morgantown.—Week days, 9.50 a. m., 4.05 and 6.45 p. m. Sundays, 9.50 a. m. and 6.45 p. m.

For Fairmont.—Week days, 9.50 a. m., 6.45 p. m. Sundays, 9.50 a. m.

For Cleveland, via Pittsburg, daily, 5.05 a. m., and 1.10 p. m.

For Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston and all points in the East.—Express, daily, 9.45 a. m., 2.46, 8.05 and 10.52 p. m.

For Confluence and Krug.—8.50 a. m., except Sunday.

For Johnstown and points on the S. & C. Branch.—Week days, 8.50, 9.45 a. m., 2.46 p. m. Sundays, 2.46 p. m.

For Berlin.—Week days, 8.50 a. m. and 2.46 p. m.

For Cumberland.—Daily Express trains, 9.45 a. m., 8.05 and 10.52 p. m. Daily accommodation trains, 8.50 a. m. and 2.16 p. m.

For Shenandoah Junction and points on the N. & W. R. R.—9.45 a. m., 2.46 and 10.52 p. m., daily.

For Harper's Ferry and Valley Division points —9.45 a. m., 2.46 and 10.52 p. m. Week days only.

If you want to secure through tickets, reserve Pullman car space, or get information concerning time of trains and connections, call at the Baltimore & Ohio depot, Connellsville, Pa. H. L. DOUGLAS, Ticket Agt.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

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On and after June 15th, 1902, trains will arrive and depart as follows.

Southward.—For Dunbar, Redstone Junction and Uniontown, 8.16, 10.52 a. m., 3.40 and 6.45 p. m.

For Fairchance.—10.52 a. m., 3.50 and 6.45 p. m.

Northward.—For Scottdale and Greensburg and all points on the main line, 7.22, 9.80 a. m., 1.05 and 5.53 p. m.

For information concerning rates of fare, etc., call on or address the following agents: Albert Hutchinson, Fairchance; W. D. McCormick, Uniontown; Sam Tarr, Dunbar; W. K. Highberger, Connellsville, or Thomas E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, 306 Fifth avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.

J. B. HUTCHINSON, Gen. Mgr.

J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agt.

PITTSBURG & LAKE ERIE.

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Central Standard Time, in effect Sunday June 15th, 1901.

Trains leave New Haven Depot for West Newton, McKeesport and Pittsburg, daily at 5.30 a. m. and 2.05 P. M.

For Dickerson Run.—Daily, 5.30 a. m., 2.05 and 6.10 p. m. For points on Belle Vernon branch, daily, 5.30 a. m. and 2.05 p. m.

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J. B. YOHE, Superintendent.

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LORE OF TRUMP RUN.

Some Incidents in the Lives of Its Earliest Settlers Recounted.

LONEABOUGH HOLLOW TRAGEDY.

Mysterious Family with Strange Powers That Troubled the Pioneers—Search for Braddock's Hidden Gold That Proved to be Only a Hoax.

Trump run is only a small stream of water. It raises on the West side of Chestnut Ridge about ten miles southeast of Connellsville. Winding through the mountain gorge and valley below, it forms a confluence with the Youghiogheny river near where the old home of James Gray once stood, but which has lately been removed to make room for the new Baltimore & Ohio shops and yards. Along this run 160 years ago it was but truly a howling wilderness, alive with bears, deer, wolves, panther and the white man.

Some time later on a man named Trump, accompanied by his wife, built a log cabin on the tract of land known today as Reidmore, one mile southeast of Connellsville. It was here, though years afterwards, that Samuel Trump made fire brick, perhaps the first made in Fayette county. Here the Trumps built one among the first saw mills. It was here also along this run, near the foot of the conglomerate ledge of rock, fifty yards south of where the Indian Creek public road crosses the run, and on the southeast corner of lands now owned by Col. J. M. Reid, that Bud Loneabough had a desperate hand to hand encounter with a powerful and noted Indian chief, whom he finally killed by cutting his throat and then removed his scalp, which for many years helped to adorn his rude cabin home in Loneabough Hollow, near Solsson park, South Connellsville. The ground on which the Loneabough cabin stood is now owned by A. J. McElhaney, but every trace of it is eternally obliterated.

Along Trump run too lived a family of men and women said to possess some strange power over man and beast. The settlers claimed they had sold themselves to the devil, and that they were wizards and witches. It is said that the neighbors were greatly annoyed by them in their families and among their stock. One of the Trumps claimed to have shot and crippled one of these wizard women by drawing her profile on a piece of paper and shooting into it with a silver bullet.

Again, 25 years ago, there was much excitement in this section of country about General Edward Braddock's buried cannon and hidden treasures of gold coin. A family named Swank lived here then and Jacob, one of the family, still lives here. They were firm believers in hidden treasures and rich mineral deposits in the mountains. About this time two very strange lights, one red and the other white, made nightly appearances along the north side of Trump run. The Swanks were informed about these lights and their nightly wanderings. A council was held and it was decided that the lights indicated buried money but it was argued that a red light indicated danger and likely bloodshed in case of an attempt to take the money away from its place of concealment. Finally a trio of them decided to risk all danger for quick wealth. At 11 o'clock one night they met at a place near where the lights gleamed, though on the opposite side of the run. In a short time the lights appeared and moved swiftly down the run. The watchers ran but could not keep pace. However, they gained an idea of where they disappeared. The second night ended with about the same results. The third night they were more determined and made a very hard run, but in the awful darkness, fog and hurry they leaped into a clump of crabapple bushes and keen briers, failing to reach the desired spot.

The lights disappeared while they in utter darkness were trying to untangle themselves from the thorns and briers and give some attention to their bleeding hands and faces.

The three men now decided on a daylight search. At dawn of the next morning they met with picks and shovel; traveled down and up, down and up, and across the run and through the thickets of underbrush until the day was well worn away. Wet, cold and hungry, for it was late in the fall. They were about ready to give up the search when they came across a large sized boulder with a mound of earth at one side. One said, "It's a grave," but the other two would not have it that way. It was the place of buried money, so they set to digging and at two feet below the surface they were rewarded by uncovering a wooden box two and one half feet long. They were afraid to open it so they raised it to the surface saying. "It's heavy," "There's lots of it," "I knew 'twas money," "Let's go," "We'll take it up here and divide it." So they carried this little box of about 200 pounds a half mile away into a thicket, knocked it open, and lo, it contained only a stone. They were the victims of a joke.

J. K. Pierce, Edward O'Neal, Harry Walker, Mesmore Younkin and Lewis Trump have butchered their hogs, buckwheat cakes and pork now.

It is said that the tin plate mill will in the near future resume operations after an idleness of five months. This is good news for the village.

The free will offering in last Sunday night in the Evangelical Church was $13.

The stack at the large brick power house of the Pittsburg, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company erected near the Youghiogheny river at north base of Porter hill, in Dunbar township, is nearing completion. It's a fine round high one too.

Five of the Joseph Ringer family, wife and four children, have had the typhoid fever. Some of them are able to be about again and the others are getting along nicely.

James Hughes and Ernest Younkin, two young men who were visiting in Allegheny county for ten days, have returned safely.

R. S. Pierce on last Tuesday slaughtered four hogs and one beef. The one hog cleaned 550 pounds. He has six more to kill a little later on.

I. A. Capp, foreman for Frank Zanchi in the stone quarries on Porter Hill, got his foot hurt some time since while on duty. He is now confined to his room and is having considerable trouble with it.

The large frame dwelling house of Leo Solsson has been successfully moved from the low ground near the Baltimore & Ohio tracks to an elevation near the Paper Mill road and is being fitted up for re-occupancy.

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